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Sir:

In re application of: **Manfred Schawaller et al.****Entitled: METHOD FOR THE DETERMINATION OF SUBSTANCES USING THE EVANESCENCE FIELD METHOD**Transmitted herewith is an **amendment** in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ _____) per §1.17(e).
 Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ per §1.116.

Small Entity Status is asserted.

A Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$120.00) per §1.17.

In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

 Other:

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	1 - 3	= -0-	x \$200.00 =	-0-
Total	29 - 35	= -0-	x \$ 50.00 =	-0-
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$360.00 =	-0-
SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE				-0-

No additional fee. The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$ _____) for the cost of same.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner Christopher L. Chin, TC Art Unit 1641, Fax No. (571) 273 8300, on Dec. 22, 2006

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